KADUR DISTRICT BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIRST MEETING OF THE KADUR DISTRICT BOARD, CONVENED ON THURSDAY THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1926.

Members.

Present	... 20	Absent	... 7
Vacant	...	...	3.

1. Vital Statistics for the half-year ending with 30th June 1926.

Resolution.—Recorded with the observation that the deaths (registered) exceed the registered births by 1,000 and that the matter requires to be investigated. (Mr. Sylvester Pais states that he will bring a proposition on the subject next time).

2. Re-appropriation statement of the District Board for 1925-26, as approved by the Finance Committee.

Resolution.—Passed.

3. Read Letter No. L. 5244-52—L. B. 114-25-2, dated 20th January 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, forwarding a copy of the agreement adopted in the Bombay Presidency in regard to the working of the ferries and requesting that bye-laws suitable to the District may be framed with such modifications therein as may be necessary and submitted to Government for consideration, and the Report of the Sub-Committee formed therefor.

Resolution.—The report of the Sub-Committee formed for the purpose is not yet received and may be awaited.

4. Read Government Order No. G. 4-5—Sany. 5-25-45, dated 1st July 1926, sanctioning the reconstruction of the washed out bridge across the Hemavathi near Balur at a cost of Rs. 1,062 and directing that the cost be met out of the allotment made for works under the Malnad Improvement Scheme and Resolution of the Finance Committee, suggesting that the special sanction of Government may be sought to waive the Establishment, Tools and Plant charges and to entrust the work to Public Works Department as the work has been ordered to be financed from the Malnad Improvement Funds.

Resolution.—The Finance Committee's suggestion is approved.

5. Read Letter No. 2242, dated 12th April 1926 and No. 2698, dated 16th June 1926. from the Live-Stock Expert in Mysore, suggesting the replacement of the present Breeding Bull stationed at Chickmagalur, on account of its oldage by a new Hallikar Bull whose moiety of cost amounts to Rs. 180 payable by the Board and proposing the sale of the present Bull, half the realizations thereof being credited to the District Board and the Resolution of the Finance Committee thereon recommending that the suggestion of the Live-Stock Expert may be accepted.

Resolution.—The Live-Stock Expert's suggestion is accepted by the Board.

6. Read Letter No. 7400—E. 604, dated 22nd June 1926, from the District Inspector of Education, forwarding the application of the Secretary to the Adikarnataka Boarding School, Chikmagalur, asking for a sum of Rs. 25,000, for the construction of a building and recommending that at least half the sum asked for may be sanctioned by the District Board and the Resolution of the Finance Committee thereon stating that the proposal is not possible to be accepted for want of funds.

Resolution.—The Board regrets that want of funds compels it to refuse the request.

7. Read District Medical Officer's Letter No. 4248, dated 30th June 1926, requesting permission to shift the Balur Malnad Improvement Dispensary to another building on account of the insufficient and unsatisfactory accomodation and President's Letter No. L. B. 776, dated 16th July 1926, according sanction to the District Medical Officer's proposal in anticipation of the Board's approval.

Resolution.—The President's action is approved.

8. Read District Board's Resolution No. 6 (*a*), dated 9th April 1926, in regard to the payment of the Board's share of maintenance charges to the Angadi Devavruenda Road for two years (1924-25 and 1925-26) and letter dated 17th July 1926, from Mr. Arthur Durham of Angadi Estate tendering his apologies to the Board as demanded by them in their resolution referred to above and the Resolution of the Finance Committee thereon stating that the amount may be paid after consultation with the Executive Engineer.

Resolution.—The Finance Committee's suggestion is approved.

9. Read Letter No. L. 474—L. B. 160-25-4, dated 20th July 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, stating that the claim of the Narasimharajapura Taluk Board, for a moiety of the receipts of the ferry plying across the Thunga between Mandagadde and Muttinakoppa cannot be sanctioned as it is opposed to the

longstanding practice prevailing in the Shimoga and Chitaldrug Districts and the resolution of the Finance Committee thereon suggesting that the question be referred to the Executive Engineer for re-investigation.

Resolution.—The Board are unable to accept that their claim is otherwise than fair and equitable and they feel that they are not bound by the practice in the Shimoga and Chitaldrug Districts. Before pressing the matter however the question may be investigated by the Executive Engineer as suggested by the Finance Committee and the result of the same may be awaited.

10. Read District Medical Officer's Letter No. 222, dated 18th July 1926, forwarding for consideration copy of letter dated 14th July 1926, received from Mr. A. C. W. Denne of Santhaveri, regarding the improvements required for the Dispensary building and to the quarters for the staff for the Malnad Improvement Dispensary at Santhaveri.

Resolution.—Resolved that a recommendation be made to Government to make the dispensary permanent.

11. Read Executive Engineer's Memo No. 324, dated 26th August 1926, proposing the increase of mileage allotment of the Mudgere-Anemahal Road, from Rs. 100 to Rs. 130, from the current year and the resolution of the Finance Committee thereon recommending that the increase asked for may be sanctioned.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

12. Read Letter No. L. 799—L. B. 33-25-6, dated 2nd August 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, forwarding a copy of Chief Engineer's Letter No. 317, dated 14th July 1926, enclosing a fresh plan and estimate for Rs. 2,760, for the construction of a Rest House at Kelagoor in lieu of the estimate for Rs. 3,C75, submitted to Government for sanction; and the Resolution of the Chikmagalur Taluk Board thereon urging for the sanction of the original estimate according to which the work has already been taken on hand and is under progress and that any alteration at this stage would put the Board to unnecessary expenditure as an outlay of Rs. 1,000 has already been incurred thereon.

Resolution.—A recommendation may be made to Government as per resolution of the Taluk Board.

13. Read Letter No. L. 1076, dated 13th August 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, expressing inability of the Government to take up the question of conversion of the Bababudan Hill Road, into a provincial one owing to the present financial position and resolution of the Finance Committee thereon suggesting that the matter be urged again.

Resolution.—In view of the importance of the road and other considerations pointed out in previous course the District Board resolve to urge again that this is a road the charges of which cannot be laid upon their shoulders and request that the Government be pleased to reconsider the matter, at least after the financial position improves.

14. Read Circular No. 1240-7, dated 19th August 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Board of Agriculture, suggesting that the District Boards be requested to grant suitable bonuses to induce people to start ensilage-making and for such action as the Board deems fit to take, and Resolution of the Finance Committee, suggesting that the letter be recorded.

Resolution.—May be considered at the time of preparing the next year's budget.

15. Read correspondence ending with Letter No. 1972, dated 21st September 1926 from the Assistant Director of Agriculture asking for a grant of Rs. 1,000 from the District Board for Agricultural propaganda and demonstration work in lieu of the loan of Rs. 2,000 held by him, and Resolution of the Finance Committee thereon suggesting that the amount may be granted as a loan.

Deferred for consideration to the next meeting at which the Assistant Director may be invited to be kindly present.

16. Read Government Order No. R. E. 37-60—E. C. 3-26-1, dated 14th August 1926, making provision for Rs. 1,500 for Economic Development work in the District and Letter No. L. 1376-83—L. B. 53-26-1, dated 24th August 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, requesting that proposals in this behalf may be formulated and submitted to Government and the views of the Finance Committee suggesting that a Sub-Committee be formed to consider this question and submit definite proposals.

Resolution.—A Sub-Committee consisting of Messrs. Dyave Gowda, Honnappayya and Sylvester Pais with the Vice-President as convener be formed to submit proposals before the end of November.

17. Read. Memo No. 327, dated 31st August 1926, from the Executive Engineer, Kadur Division forwarding a plan and an estimate for Rs. 14,680 for the construction of a III Class Travellers' Bungalow and out houses at Bhutanagundi (Seethalayana Giri), Chikmagalur Taluk.

Resolution.—The estimate may be accepted. A recommendation may be sent up to Government to sanction the same with a request that the establishments, tools and plant charges may be waived as a special case and that half the charges may be borne by Government as the Travellers' Bungalow will serve as a hill resort in summer for visitors and sight-seers from outside.

18. Read. Letter No. 38, dated 10th September 1926, from the Head Master of the Ayurvedic College, Mysore, forwarding an application from J. Venkata Char, a student of the Institution, praying for the grant of a scholarship of Rs. 25 per mensem from the District Board to enable him to complete the course of Ayurvedic Training which extends to four years and the resolution of the Finance Committee recommending that the scholarship may be granted.

Resolution.—May be granted subject to the condition that he will agree to serve under the District Board for not less than a period of five years.

19.—Read Administration Report on the working of the Kadur District Board for the year 1925-26, as approved by the Finance Committee.

Resolution.—Read and passed.

20. Read.—Extract from Government Order No. 1307-8,—L. B. 125-25-3, dated 21st August 1926, sanctioning amongst other items the increased provision made for Typing allowance and directing that it should not be incurred without proper sanction "if it is to be a recurring charge" and the Resolution of the Finance Committee suggesting that the increased Typing allowance be paid for a year from 1st July 1926, temporarily.

Resolution.—Finance Committee's suggestion is accepted by the Board.

21. Read. Circular Memorandum No. 1800-7—L. B. 6-25-24, dated 8th September 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Local and Legislative Departments, requesting to submit draft rules for the grant and administration of scholarships proposed to be granted by the District Board for several courses and the views of the Finance Committee observing that the Departments may be consulted and their views ascertained.

Resolution.—As suggested by the Finance Committee, the Departments may be consulted.

22. Read.—Report No. L. F. 34, dated 11th August 1926, from the President, Tarikere Taluk Board, requesting for the grant of contribution from the District Board to meet the urgent demands of his Office and the District Board President's Memo dated 25th August 1926, granting an advance of Rs. 1,500 in anticipation of the Board's sanction thereto.

Resolution.—The President's action is approved.

23. Read. Report No. L. A. 1—26-27, dated 22nd September 1926, from the President, Chikmagalur Taluk Board, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Taluk Board resolving that an extent of 1 acre 28 guntas out of Government waste lands in Survey No. 96 and 1 acre 10 guntas out of occupied Survey No. 97 of Naraganahalli, a dakle village of Chikkolale village, Chikmagalur Taluk, be acquired for extension of the village site, and the President reports that the villagers have credited to the Treasury a sum of Rs. 133 towards the compensation and 25 years' assessment on the land to be alienated.

Resolution.—The Taluk Board's resolution is accepted.

24. Read Letter No. G. 2978-85—San. 4-26-4, dated 15th September 1926, from the Secretary to Government, Medical and Agricultural Departments, suggesting that the local allowance granted to the Midwives employed under the District Board be increased as in the case of those entertained under Malnad Improvement Scheme by Rs. 3 in the Malnad and Rs. 2 in Semi Malnad and the resolution of the Finance Committee stating that the question may be taken up at the next budget as the current year's budget does not admit of extra expenditure.

Resolution.—Finance Committee may be asked to kindly investigate the matter further and see if the sum required cannot be found by re-appropriation.

25. Read Letter No. dated 25th September 1926, from the Honorary Secretary, Koppa Medical Fund, requesting the continuance of the grant to the Institution for another year from 1st August 1926 and furnishing the required statistics.

Resolution.—The grant may be continued.

26. Read D. O. Letter No. 1273-11, dated 15th September 1926, from the Senior Surgeon requesting to intimate the names of places in the order of urgency for the location of a Dispensary in this District this year.

Resolution.—The order of urgency is as follows in the opinion of the District Board.

	Village.	*Taluk.*
1.	Malandur	... Chikmagalur.
2.	Lingadahalli	... Tarikere.
3.	Chik-Agrahara	.. Narasimharajapura.
4.	Kigga	... Koppa.

But there is an actual offer now from Mr. Kalhattappa, a resident of Lingadahalli, to construct a building for the dispensary only. There are no such offers yet in respect of the other places.

27. Read Tarikere Municipal Council President's No. 168, dated 9th September 1926, forwarding for favourable consideration the application of H. Mallaradhya, Bill Accountant, Municipal Office, Tarikere and letter, dated 29th September 1926, from the Amildar and President, Taluk Board that of N. G. Rudrappa, Birur, praying that they may be selected as candidates to undergo training in Vaccination.

Resolution.—The prayer may be granted and the two candidates may be recommended to the Sanitary Commissioner.

28. Read Letter dated 7th August 1926, from the Honorary Secretary, Sollebyle Medical Fund, requesting the Board to recommend to Government the continuance of the grant-in-aid of Rs. 100 per month for another year from 1st August 1926 as the institution has been working regularly all along and District Medical Officer's Letter No. 898, dated 16th September 1926, recommending the continuance of the grant.

Resolution.—The grant may be continued.

29. Read Chikmagalur Taluk Board President's Report No. 197—26-27, dated 22nd September 1926, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Taluk Board in the matter of shifting the Dispensary from Bidare in the Chikmagalur Taluk in view of its limitted utility to only a very few of the inhabitants around Bidare and that it is at present almost solely intended for Mr. Crawford's Estate and recommending that the dispensary be shifted to kalsapur which has no dispensary within a radius of 13 miles.

Resolution.—The Dispensary at Bidare need not be abolished; the District Board think however that a Dispensary at Kalasapura is urgently needed and steps should be taken to open one as early as possible.

30. Read Report No. L. F. 120—25-26, dated nil, received from the President, Taluk Board, Narasimharajapura, requesting for the grant of an advance to meet the immediate demands of his office and the District Board President's Memo, dated 15th September 1926, granting an advance of Rs. 500 in anticipation of the Board's sanction thereto.

Resolution.—Approved.

31. Read D. O. No. 540-46—Cs., dated 24—29th July 1926, from the Registrar of Co-operative Societies in Mysore, suggesting that a grant of about Rs. 250 be made available from the Board's funds and for the development of Co-operative Societies and depressed class Societies in this District and the resolution of the Finance Committee suggesting that this may be taken up at the next Budget Meeting.

Resolution.—The Finance Committee's suggestion may be accepted.

32. Read Letter No. 89, dated 13th July 1926, from the Live-Stock Expert in Mysore, forwarding with recommendation the application of Chendrasekharayya, Patel of Hosahalli, Tarikere Taluk, praying for another Amrutmahal Breeding Bull at a concession rate in place of the one given to him about four years ago on the ground that it was killed by a tiger, and the Taluk Board President's No. Mis. 67, dated nil, forwarding the recommendation of the Board in the matter.

Resolution.—The Board are in favour of the application and accede to the request.

33. Read Letter No. 375, dated 30th September 1926, from the Executive Engineer, Kadur Division, Chikmagalur, requesting that the mileage allotment of Shimoga-Narasimharajapura Road be raised from Rs. 100 to 150 and the resolution of the Finance Committee approving of the recommendation made by the Executive Engineer.

Resolution.—Approved. A recommendation may be sent up to Government in this behalf.

34. (I) List of Estimates sanctioned in anticipation of Board's approval:—

		Rs.
1.	Deepening the well at Chikknallur in the Kadur Taluk ...	577
2.	Estimate for removing slip caused by heavy rains in Bababudan Hill Road	62
3.	Revised estimate for repairing and improving the cattle-pound at Lingadahalli, Tarikere Taluk	575
4.	Estimate for repairing the Sollebyle Water Storage Reservoir in the Koppa Taluk	160
5.	Estimate for Rs. 120 for constructing a tunnel on Sringeri-Kigga Road	120
6.	Revised Estimate for constructing a cattle-pound at Thogarihankal, Chikmagalur Taluk. (Original Estimate Rs. 221-0-0)	990
7.	Estimate for urgent repairs to damages on Tarikere-Hosdurga Road	

APPROVED.

(II.) List of Estimates to be sanctioned.

MALNAD IMPROVEMENT.

1. Sinking a well at Halgode, a hamlet of Bomlapura, Koppa Hobli, Koppa Taluk 568

District Board.

2. Sinking a well at Hosahalli, Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk, the people having agreed to pay a third of the cost and have already paid Rs. 100 789
3. Sinking a well at Hosakere, Dakle of Kanachur, Gonibid Hobli, Mudgere Taluk, people being prepared to contribute a third of the cost 1,175

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

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4. Estimate for repairing the Sub-Assistant Surgeon's quarters at Kalasa for 1926-27 67
5. Estimate for providing Sign Boards to the Travellers' Bungalows at Birur and Sakrepatna 55
6. Estimate for providing slabs to the floor of the latrine of the 3rd class Travellers' Bungalow at Kalasa... ... 85

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

Village Panchayets.

7. Estimate for improving the cattle pound at Devanoor, Sakrepatna Hobli, Kadur Taluk 400
8. Estimate for reconstructing the cattle-pound at Marle ... 480

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

D. SREENIVASA IYENGAR,
President, Kadur District Board.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 3rd October 1926.

The right to collect toll at the toll-gate as noted in schedules A & B from 1st November 1926 during the official year 1926-27, will be sold by public auction at the place and on the date specified therein.

2. Persons intending to bid at the sale must attend in person or by a duly accredited agent. Every such person should deposit beforehand an amount equal to 1/6th of the contract amount for the previous year as shown in schedule A, as earnest money. The deposits of all the bidders, except the first two or three whose bids are to be recommended for acceptance, will be returned at the close of the sale.

The deposit of the successful bidder who will be called the contractor will be returned only on fulfilment of the contract. The deposits of the remaining bidders will be returned soon after the confirmation of the sale.

3. The sale will not become absolute until confirmed by the authority noted in the schedule A, who reserves the final power of refusing or accepting without assigning any reason whatever, the highest or any bid that may be offered.

4. The contractor shall, within fifteen days of the receipt of the intimation or confirmation of the sale in his favour, execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself and his heirs to observe the conditions hereinafter set forth and to be subject to the penalties, forfeitures and liabilities referred to therein and when he does not hold property in Mysore, shall furnish at least two sureties who own sufficient properties in the Mysore State for the due performance of the contract.

5. The contract shall not be transferred by sale, gift or otherwise or sub-let without the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner.

6. The contract amount shall be paid in twelve equal monthly instalments in advance on the first day of every month into the Taluk Office.

7. The contractor shall have no claim to the fees recovered from persons compounding the payment of toll in accordance with the Standing Rules and orders approved by Government. He shall also pay along with the instalments, the authorised local, railway and education cesses, if any, at the prescribed rates and he shall not levy any toll from such persons.

8. Interest at 9 per cent per annum shall be levied on all overdue amounts till date of payment.

9. The amount due from the contractor or his sureties shall be recoverable as if they were arrears of land revenue under the provision of the Land Revenue Regulation and the Rules thereunder.